GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Animal Husbandry Department –Feed & Fodder Development Scheme - Silo models for conservation of fodder – Construction of Bunker silo –Guidelines - Orders – Issued.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRY DEVELOPMENT & FISHERIES (AH.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.223 Dated:06-09-2016

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.96, AHDD&F Department, dated.28.04.2016
2. G.O.RT.No.135, AHDD&F Department, dated.13.06.2016.
3. From Head of the Department, Animal Husbandry Department, A.P. Vijayawada, Lr.Roc.No.4456/D/D2/2016, Dated 22.08.2016

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ORDER :

In the G.O. 1st read above, Govt., permitted the Head of the Department, Animal Husbandry Department, AP. Vijayawada, to promote silage propagation involving Farmers / Entrepreneurs / Framer organizations towards implementation of different modes of silage units on subsidy basis. In the G.O. 2nd read above, Government, also permitted the Head of the Department, Animal Husbandry Department, AP. Vijayawada, to adopt the unit cost of bunkers of different capacities as per the estimates furnished by NABCONS for the silage making units, to cover APL farmers also in different schemes of livestock sector with special preference to BPL farmers in programme implementation and to transfer the 75% cost of the civil structures of the bunker to the bank account of the farmers.

2. In the letter 3rd read above, the Head of the Department, Animal Husbandry Department, AP. Vijayawada, has reported that as per the orders issued in the G.O.s it has been decided to promote silage bunkers of 25MT, 50MT, and 100MT, capacities for which it was decided to extend 75% subsidy to the farmers for construction of bunkers as per existing guidelines. Accordingly, the unit cost of silage bunkers for each of these units has been got estimated through NABCONS which is detailed below.

S.No.	Unit Size	Unit Cost Rs.	75% Subsidy Rs.	25% Beneficiary contribution Rs.
1	25 MT Capacity silage bunkers	3.0 Lakhs	2,25,000	75,000
2	50 MT Capacity silage bunkers	5.35 Lakhs	4,01,250	1,33,750
3	100 MT Capacity silage bunkers.	10.06 Lakhs	7,54,500	2,51,500

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3. The Head of the Department, Animal Husbandry Department, AP. Vijayawada, has finalized the procedure for sanction and payment for construction of silage bunkers in consultation with NABCONS and requested the Govt., to approve the liberalized grounding and payment procedure suggested in the annexure enclosed to the letter cited. He has also requested to permit the department to pay 4% on unit cost as Service Charges of the NABCONS towards monitoring charges of the activity by the technical persons engaged exclusively for this purpose which can be paid from the provision available in the Department under administrative charges.

4. Government after careful consideration, hereby approved the liberalized grounding and payment procedure for construction of silo bunkers by the farmers with the assistance of Government, as detailed in the Annexure appended to this order. Govt., also permitted the HOD, to pay 4% of the unit cost towards service charges of the NABCONS as monitoring charges of the activity, for the technical persons engaged exclusively for this purpose which shall be paid from the provisions available in the Department under administrative charges.

5. For Farmer Producer Organization (FPO) the procedure to be followed for implementation, separate orders will be issued.

6. The Head of the Department, Animal Husbandry Dept., A.P., Vijayawada shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Head of the Department,
Animal Husbandry Department., A.P., Vijayawada
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ANNEXURE

G.O.RT.NO.223, AHDD&F(AH.I)DEPARTMENT, DATED:06.09.2016

GUIDELINES FOR EXECUTION OF SILAGE BUNKERS.

- The farmers willing to take up the activity shall submit an application in the prescribed format together with proof of 25% of beneficiary share in the Bank account of the beneficiary.

- After receipt of applications either from the field staff or any other organizations , the Joint Director concerned shall accord sanction for construction of bunkers under copy to head office and shall also transfer 75% of the subsidy entitled on the unit to the Project Account (created separately for this project) in favour of beneficiary with instructions to the banker to disburse the subsidy in two installments directly to the beneficiary's bank account only up on the advise of the Assistant Director concerned duly notifying the details of Assistant Director concerned in the sanction proceedings for information of the banker.

- The Joint Directors shall also furnish the list of farmers who are sanctioned silo bunker units to the NABCONS.

- The construction of Silo bunker shall be started by the beneficiary after briefing by the technical personnel deputed from the NABCONS.

- After the work is completed to the extent of 25% of the unit cost (consisting of earthwork, plain cement concrete and procurement of some material), utilizing 25% of the farmers share in the beneficiaries bank account, the beneficiary shall intimate to the Nabcons about the stage of work.
    - The representative of Nabcons shall then visit the work spot to verify the facts and issue a certificate about the stage of work done with a recommendation for release of 75% of the subsidy in his second visit.
    - Accordingly, 75% of the subsidy prescribed for the unit shall be disbursed by the banker from the Project account to the bank account of the beneficiary with due authorization of the Assistant Director concerned after physical verification by the Dept. representative.

- On completion of the work, the beneficiary shall intimate the fact to the Nabcons which in turn shall send its representative to visit the work spot to verify the facts and issue a certificate about the completion of work with due recommendation for release of the balance 25% of the subsidy prescribed for each unit which shall then be disbursed to the beneficiary after physical verification of the unit by the Dept representative.

- The Assistant Director concerned shall visit the work physically after receipt of technical report from the third party (Nabcons) at periodical intervals to check the stages of work as per the schedule given below and recommend for disbursement of subsidy to the beneficiaries concerned in (2) installments accordingly.

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- In the event of inability of the AD concerned to physically inspect the work with in three working days after receipt of the technical report from the third party, it is deemed to have been inspected and the banker shall be advised accordingly to disburse 75% of the subsidy amount deposited in the beneficiary's project account on 2nd visit and the remaining 25% of the subsidy after 3rd visit of the Nabcons representative, which however shall be inspected subsequently either by the Assistant Director or by his representative invariably and suitable action shall be initiated accordingly.

Stages of work / release of subsidy:

No. of Installments	Source of Funding	Stage of Work	Amount to be released (in Rs.)		
			25 MT's	50 MT's	100 MT's
1	Beneficiary Own Contribution (Margin Money @ 25 % of unit cost)	Initial investment	75000.00	133750.00	251500.00
2	Release of Advance Subsidy (@75% of subsidy deposited in beneficiary account by the Department)	Earth work, plain Cement Concrete procurement of some material	168750.00	300938.00	565875.00
3	Release of balance Subsidy (25% of subsidy deposited) as final payment.	Completion of work	56250.00	100312.00	188625.00
Total			300000.00	535000.00	1006000.00

- The Payment shall be effected based on the work done by the farmers and as recommended by the third party (NABCONS).

- Each stage of the work has to be digitally photographed geotagged and uploaded in to the website of the Department by the NABCONS.
- The details of the beneficiaries have to be entered in the software application meant for the purpose from time to time by the Assistant Director concerned.
- After complete utilization of the grant released, U.C has to be submitted by the individual beneficiary and countersigned by the BMC in case of its members or by the Assistant Director concerned which shall be ensured by the JD concerned.
- Periodical orientation to the farmers involved in the activity has to be under taken by the concerned staff to keep the asset in functional status.
- Wide publicity has to be given in the districts about the activity and ensure that the activity under taken in the districts is spread over and popularized uniformly in the districts.
- The standing instructions on coverage of SC, ST, BC, Minorities, Disabled and women beneficiaries shall be strictly adhered to.

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